

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING AND COMMENT PERIOD

THE PROPOSED PLAN FOR THE NATURALLY OCCURING ASBESTOS AT THE LAGO VISTA HIGH SCHOOL SITE NEEDS COMMUNITY REVIEW FOLSOM, CALIFORNIA



PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: January 12, 2005 through February 10, 2005
PUBLIC MEETING: January 18, 2005

WHAT'S BEING PROPOSED?

The Folsom Cordova Unified School District (FCUSD) is proposing to build a new high school at 1970 Broadstone Parkway, Folsom, California. During the site investigation for the proposed high school, soil containing naturally occurring asbestos (NOA) was found. When levels are found above the established standards, the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) requires schools to conduct a removal or mitigation action to ensure the site is safe to build a school.

The school district has proposed a workplan that would manage and contain the soil containing NOA during the construction of the school. We encourage you to review and comment on the workplan. The proposed plan, known as a Draft Removal Action Workplan (Draft RAW), is available for your review at the information repositories listed below.

A California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) report has not been completed. Once a determination has been made, you will receive a post card in the mail announcing the 30-day public comment period for the CEQA determination and that the document is available for review. In addition, a public notice will be placed in the Sacramento Bee announcing the public comment period.

WHY THIS NOTICE?

The purpose of this notice is to provide you with the opportunity to learn more about the project and to provide comments to DTSC concerning the proposed cleanup activities by **February 10, 2005.**

HOW DO I PARTICIPATE?

Your participation is encouraged. Comments concerning the cleanup activities may be submitted in writing to Mr. Mike Kenning, DTSC Project Manager, 8800 Cal Center Drive, Sacramento, California 95826 or e-mail: Mkenning@dtsc.ca.gov. All mail must be postmarked by 5 p.m. on February 2, 2005. E-mailed comments must be received by DTSC no later than 5 p.m. on the February 2, 2005. In addition, you may also submit comments at the public meeting scheduled for January 18, 2005. The meeting will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Folsom High School, 1655 Iron Point Road, Folsom, California 95630.

WHERE DO I GET MORE INFORMATION?

A copy of the proposed plan (Draft RAW) is available for review in the information repositories located at Folsom Cordova Unified School District, 125 East Bidwell Street, Folsom, California 95630, (916) 355-1100 or Department of Toxic Substances Control, 8800 Cal Center Drive, Sacramento, California 95826, (916) 255-3758.

CONTACT:

If you have any questions or wish to discuss the project, please contact Mr. Mike Kenning, DTSC Project Manager, at (916) 255-3625 or Mkenning@dtsc.ca.gov. For public participation activities, please contact Ms. Kim Rhodes, DTSC Public Participation Specialist, at (916) 255-3651 or Krhodes1@dtsc.ca.gov. Members of the media should contact Ms. Lisa Gray, DTSC Public Information Officer, at (916)324-0936 or Lgray@dtsc.ca.gov.